# **DISABILITY NETWORK DIRECTORY**

### **Consumer Protection**

#### **Aviation Consumer Protection Division**

Attn: C-75-D

U. S. Department of Transportation 1200 New Jersey Avenue, SE Washington, DC 20590 1-800-778-4838 (V)

1-800-455-9880 (TTY)

E-mail: airconsumer@oat.dot.gov

http://airconsumer.ost.dot.gov/ACAAcomplaint.htm

Investigate air travel complaints and attempt to resolve issues on the spot as they occur or in advance of travel. Download a complaint form and mail in or fill out the online travel complaint/comment form.

# Better Business Bureau (BBB) of Metro Washington DC and Eastern PA

1411 K Street, NW, Suite 1000 Washington, DC 20008 202-393-8000 (V)

E-mail: info@mybbb.org http://dc-easternpa.bbb.org

24-hour automated telephone inquiry service provides reliability reports on companies and charitable organizations. Also provide complaint filing services, general monitoring of advertising in the marketplace, dispute resolution services and consumer/business education programs. Information and services are provided at no cost to the public with the exception of mediation and arbitration services.

### Maryland Attorney General's Office Consumer Protection Division

410-528-8662 (V)

1-888-743-0023 (Toll Free)

E-mail: consumer@oag.state.md.us www.oag.state.md.us/consumer

Mediation services to consumers to help resolve complaints against businesses and health insurance carriers.

## **Maryland Consumer Rights Coalition**

Marceline White, Executive Director 1209 N. Calvert Street Baltimore, MD 21202 410-528-1591 (V)

E-mail: marceline@marylandconsumers.org

www.marylandconsumers.org

Non-profit grassroots consumer organization that educates individuals, organizations and officials about consumer issues and consumer rights. Advocate on behalf of consumers before the Maryland Legislature and state agencies.

## **Montgomery County Office of Consumer Protection**

100 Maryland Avenue, Suite 330

Rockville, Md 20850 240-777-3636 (V)

240-777-3681 (Anonymous Consumer Tip Line)

E-mail: <a href="mailto:consumerprotection@montgomerycountymd.gov/www.montgomerycountymd.gov/consumer">consumerprotection@montgomerycountymd.gov/consumer</a>

Responsible for enforcing consumer protection laws prohibiting unfair and deceptive business acts to ensure a fair marketplace for consumers and businesses. Investigates and resolves consumer complaints, engage in consumer education and outreach, license certain businesses, and administer several programs.